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SUBJECT: DRAFT LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING

PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING TO MR. ROBERT E. ANDERSON,
ONE ROCKEFELLER PLAZA, N.Y. FROM LEHFELDT

1. UNDERSECRETARY AGRICULTURE GHAVAMIAN CALLED
THIS MORNING TO REPORT THAT ALL MINAG APPRO FOR
SOME SORT OF LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING ARE IN
AND THAT
RUHANI FELT THAT PRIME MINISTER SHOULD FORMALLY
APPROVE GENERAL CONCEPT BEFORE EXCHANGING LETTERS.
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE IS NEVERTHELESS PREPARING TO
SEND A MISSION TO AUSTRALIA AT END OF OCTOBER TO
LOOK OVER THE SITUATION THERE. MINAGR APPEARS TO
HAVE COMPLICATED YOUR LIFE SOMEWHAT BY CONSULTING
WITH MR. JACK HARRIS OF SAN JOSE MEAT COMPANY, COALINGA,
CALIFORNIA, WHO APPARENTLY PLANS JOIN IRANIAN MISSION
ON THEIR VISIT. GHAVAMIAN PROMISED TO INFORM ME
AS SOON AS SOME SORT OF LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING
(HE WAS NOT CLEAR WHETHER IT WOULD BE YOUR LETTER OR
MINAG SUBSTITUTE) IS APPROVED BY PRIME MINISTER.
HELMS

NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED MR ANDERSON
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